



MINUTES OF THE CRIME PREVENTION COMMITTEE

Wednesday January 11, 2014 – 7:00 p.m.

El Cerrito City Hall

Hillside Conference Room –second floor
10890 San Pablo Avenue

Chair Krueger called the meeting to order at 7:02 PM.

Roll Call

Members in Attendance: Catherine Krueger, Nicholas Arzio, Bruce Yow, Eugene Go, Linda Jolivet, Marty Takimoto

City Council/Staff in Attendance: None / Detective Sergeant Hartung

1. Approval of Minutes:

Moved and carried (Arzio / Yow) to adopt the December 10, 2014 meeting minutes. All members in attendance voted to approve except Member Takimoto who abstained.

2. Council / Staff Liaison Reports:

Sergeant Hartung provided the CPC with a staffing update for the police department, current number of Reserve Officers and health status of K-9 Koda after his accidental drug exposure.

3. Comments from the Public:

None

4. Discussion of Crime Prevention Committee Activities for 2015:

The CPC continued discussion on their work plan and a rough draft of goals and objectives was presented.

The subcommittee (Members Arzio and Jolivet) focused on creating a survey of El Cerrito citizens concerning their needs and what the CPC can do to support them agreed to meet and present the CPC with a survey.

Member Krueger, a member of the subcommittee working on a survey for National Night out and Neighborhood Watch groups concerning what the CPC can do to help them better their programs, presented the CPC with possible surveys. The subcommittee (Members Krueger and Takimoto) presented CPC with a draft version survey.

Member Krueger informed the CPC that she had reached out and contacted a Director from the B.A.R.T to attend next month's CPC meeting to discuss the impact of crime at the B.A.R.T station in the city and action being taken by B.A.R.T to address the issue. Member Arzio reference a recent article that stated the Del Norte B.A.R.T station in El Cerrito had the 3rd highest crime rate of all stations on the system.

5. Membership:

None

6. Communication Report (Including Neighborhood Watch / Home Security Report):

None

7. Adjournment:

Moved and carried (Krueger /Arzio) to adjourn at 8:22 PM. Unanimous.